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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Gen. M. W. Ransom, U. S. Senator for 23 years from North Carolina, died suddenly of heart failure at his home near Garysburg, N. C., aged 78 years. ——Russians declare that the reported sea fight off Port Arthur is purely imaginative.—— Labor organizations in Montana have endorsed the Parker and Davis ticket.—— Senators Bacon and Tillman will speak in Illinois next week.—— Five men drowned at Pensacola by the capsizing of a sail boat.—— Thirteen year old boy convicted of manslaughter in killing his father and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary at Texarkana, Texas. —— The divorce question will be taken up Monday by the Episcopal general convention.—— Russians are using hand grenades at Port Arthur with deadly effect.—— The international peace conference was brought to a close yesterday.—— Japanese deny that their losses at Port Arthur have been heavy. —— Sidney Harell, prominent citizen of Webster county, Ga., convicted of incendiarism and sentenced to twenty years imprisonment.—— Democrats have a fighting chance for carrying Rhode Island.—— Former Senator Hill starts on a speaking tour in West Virginia and Indiana. ——Judge Parker goes to New York Monday. ——New York markets: Money on call was quoted nominal; no loans; cotton was quiet at 10.45c; rosin steady; strained common to good $3 35; spirits turpentine—nothing doing; flour was steady but quiet; wheat—spot quiet and firm; No. 2 red $1.15½; corn—spot firm; No. 2 55½c; oats—spot dull; mixed, 26@32 lbs. 35@36c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 8.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 54 degrees; 2 P. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 49 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .0; rainfall since first of the month to date, .34 inch.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

The temperatures are lower in the eastern, and have risen in the central and western portions of the belt. Generally fair weather has prevailed and there has been very little rain, small amounts being reported in the Galveston, Mobile, and Savannah districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—For North Carolina: Fair Sunday and Monday; light variable winds.

Port Almanac—October 9.

Sun Rises	6.02 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.34 P. M.
Day's Length	11 H. 32 M.
High Water at Southport	7.59 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	10.39 P. M.

The moth ball is out of date, but the festive german is in season.

Roosevelt's letter of acceptance: "We base our appeal upon what we have done and are doing." Appeal dismissed. "Doing" the Republic of George Washington is what makes the court kick.

If North Carolina could only become a pivotal State the Republicans would rejoice to know that the National campaign fund would have an open door of hope for the hopeless.

We have vehemently insisted that there was no money issue in this campaign, but we humbly haul in our horns. Governor-Chairman Odell is yelling for $2,000,00 to carry New York.

On the morning of the 9th of November, one month from today, THE STAR hopes to be able to Cortelyou why it was that T. Roosevelt has to take his clothes and go.

Roosevelt's letter of acceptance: "We intend in the future to carry on the Government in the same way that we have carried it on in the past." Gee, Whiz! That's just the reason we want to give you your walking papers.

There's a jolly Saxon proverb that is pretty much like this, That a man is half in Heaven when he has a maiden's kiss; But if the man should steal just one from a girl who'll raise a fuss, The maiden's pa will make him feel that he's not a lucky cuss.

An Ohio expert declares that bees never sting except when they are drunk. Before we give any busy bee a chance at us with his business end we will require him to show a certificate from some Keeley Institute that he took the whole course.

The circus man who is claiming that he was the first to "loop the loop" ought to sneak into his hole. He has evidently failed to read Roosevelt's books and follow his circuit around the loop to where he stands pat with Col. Dingley.

The Savannah News tells of a woman who "in fear of her husband fled to her mother." There are plenty of her sex who could tell her how to make the old man gum shoe around the domicile in proper shape without being reinforced by her mother.

The Crescent cigar store is the place to get a good smoke or chewing tobacco. Call and give them a trial. Will send goods to you anywhere in city. Close price on cigars by the box or more. Phone No. 60, P. O. B. No. 362. ‡

LOCAL DOTS.

Pulpit announcements on second page of to day's paper.

— Cotton receipts yesterday, 3,783 bales, against 3,158 same day last season.

—Very decided improvements are being made to the interior of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

— A reliable colored man who can give good references can find employment by applying at the STAR.

— British Steamer "Huelva," Capt. Harvey, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia for a cargo of cotton.

— The B. F. Keith Co. has cleared the schooner "Wm. P. Hood" with cargo of 13,000 cypress cross-ties for Boston.

— Supt. Catlett will hold a meeting of the colored teachers of the county at the Court House next Saturday at 10 o'clock.

— A boy who knows how to feed job presses may secure employment by applying at the STAR office. Must be a resident of Wilmington.

— The annual meeting of the Atlantic Yacht Club will be held Tuesday night of this week in the Mayor's office at the City Hall.

— British steamer "Rosneath," Capt. Finley, cleared last night for Bremen with 5,470 bales of cotton consigned by Messrs. Sprunt & Son.

— A movement is on foot to organize a Parker and Glenn club here and a meeting with that end in view will probably be held this week.

— Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting at 5 o'clock this afternoon. A cordial invitation to all men.

— The Mayor had one lonesome offender in his court yesterday—Harrison Sykes, a country negro, who was fined $5 and costs for being drunk and disorderly.

— Florence Times: "The attendance at Miss Burch's dancing school last night was unusually large. Among the visiting girls present were Misses Guerry, Alderman, of Wilmington, N. C., and Miss Trapier, of Raleigh, N. C."

— Popular Frank Turrentine has joined the corps of clever attaches at the Academy of Music. He will be in the box office with Treasurer John W. Blomme and will prove a valuable addition to Messrs. Cowan Bros'. staff.

— Associate and active members of the Wilmington Piano Club are urged to attend the first meeting next Wednesday at 8 o'clock at the Elks' Temple. The proposed work for the year will be discussed, with other matters of interest.

— Two new diphtheria quarantines were established yesterday, making five more in the city. The two established yesterday were at 1002 Orange street, the patient being Vivian Kelly, colored, eight years old, and at 607 South Fifth street, the patient being Mrs. E. R. Hunter.

— Mr. and Mrs. David Stubbs have the sympathy of friends in the loss of another of their infant children, whose death occurred Friday night. The funeral was conducted yesterday by Rev. J. S. Crowley and the remains were laid to rest in the country.

— The firm of Tucker Bros. has just completed and shipped to Clarkton a neat monument to be placed over the grave of Mrs. George Packard, who was murdered and so horribly outraged in that neighborhood last month. The order for the monument was given by Mr. Packard, who says nothing of the negroes in jail be yond that he hopes the people of Bladen will see that justice is done.

— Rehearsals for the society comedy to be put on at the Academy of Music by the W. L. I. Dramatic Club early in November are progressing satisfactorily and the theatre going public of Wilmington may look forward to an artistic triumph in the event. The cast is a clever one and the piece sparkles with bright lines and striking situations.

— A white man named Elias Kelly shot and fatally wounded a negro on Robinson's show day at Darlington yesterday. The crowds were watching the parade and the negro push ed against Kelly but promptly apologized. The white man followed him and the negro warned him not to do so. The colored man was shot three times in the stomach.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Taylor's Bazaar.—Hats.
W. B. Cooper—Tobacco.
Academy—Moving pictures.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Flour.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Thanks.
W. B. Cooper—Baldwin apples.
Atlantic Yacht Club—Meeting.
Solomon—Treat youngsters right.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Ladies' hats.
D. L. Gore Co.—Cargo salt expected
Geo. O. Gaylord—Blankets and quilts
Wilmington & Southport Steamboat Line—Schedule.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wanted—Tinner.
Lost—Poodle dog.
Bookkeeper—Position wanted.
Notice—To telephone subscribers.
Miss Leonora Cantwell—Danc'g class

Ladies $2.50 Sweaters $1.98. $3.50 Sweaters $2.98. Children's Sweaters 50c and upwards. Boy's Suits and School Shoes, special prices at Rehder's. †

If you need a stamp or postal cards after hours call at the Crescent cigar store. ‡

MANY CIVIL SUITS.

Two Week's Term of New Hanover Superior Court Begins Next Monday.

THE FAMOUS PENNY CASE.

Number of Complaints Against Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.

Three Days for Criminal Matters—Other Notes

The bar of the city met yesterday at the office of Col. Jno. D. Taylor and arranged the calendar of civil suits for trial at the two weeks term of Superior Court to be convened tomorrow week, Judge Fred Moore, of Asheville, presiding. Eugene S. Martin, Esq., presided at the meeting of the bar yesterday and A. J. Marshall, Esq., acted as secretary. At the recent one-week term of the court, practically all criminal matters were disposed of, so that the forthcoming term will be devoted almost exclusively to the hearing of civil cases, of which there are a large number on the calendar. Fifty-two of the number are set for trial, 165 are on the motion docket and seven are on the summons docket.

The case of greatest interest on the trial docket, perhaps, is that of B. F. Penny vs. the W. C. & A. Railroad Co., the nature of which is well remembered by readers of this paper. It was tried first in 1899 in the Superior Court and a judgment for $6,000 was given the plaintiff. Judge W. A. Hoke, presiding, set the verdict aside, however, and a second hearing coming on, a mistrial resulted. After all the evidence was in at the third trial, the plaintiff's counsel upon intimation of Judge Peebles that they could not recover, submitted to a non suit and appealed to the Supreme Court. A new trial was granted and the case now comes on for a fourth hearing. The plaintiff, Mr. B. F. Penny, was shot by an obstreperous negro, Sam Callaway, as he alighted from a train at Leland, Brunswick county, one Sunday afternoon early in September, 1898, the negro having been ejected for disorder on the car between Wilmington and that point. The case will be heard on the second Monday of the term Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, E. K. Bryan, Herbert McClammy, A. J. Marshall and E. S. Martin appear for the plaintiff, while the railroad will be represented by Messrs. Rountree & Carr, Jno. D. Bellamy and Davis & Davis.

On Friday of the first week the case of Mortie L. Creech vs. Wilmington Cotton Mills is set for trial. The plaintiff is suing for damages for being caught on a shaft in the mills here, having her clothing torn off and being bruised and otherwise injured. A jury at a late term awarded her $800, but both sides took an appeal to the Supreme Court and a new trial was granted.

The big land suit of George Irving vs. Pembroke Jones and others, for the recovery of a large part of Summer Rest, on the sound, which is claimed under an old grant, is set for the second Tuesday of the term. Messrs. Koonce and Schulken, of Whiteville, appear for the plaintiff and numerous attorneys represent the large number of individual property owners interested.

On the following day, the first case is that of William Rembert against the Consolidated Company, in which the plaintiff sues for recovery of damages by reason of injuries received by contact with a live wire at Front and Princess streets one night about a year ago. Messrs. H. McClammy and Jno. D. Bellamy appear for Rembert and Messrs. Davis & Davis and Bellamy & Bellamy for the company. The case of Lineman Hugh S. Schwartz, who was burned by a live wire while painting some poles of the company near Front and Grace streets, is also set for the same day, Russell & Gore appearing for Schwartz and Iredell Meares, Esq., for the employers liability company, in which C. R., L. & P. Co. employes are insured.

The case of Frank Meier against the Consolidated Co. for $25,000 damages in the death of his brother, Joe Meier, who was run over and killed by a car of the company near Greenville Sound, about a year ago, is set for trial on Thursday of the second week. Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., appear for the plaintiff and Messrs. Davis & Davis and Bellamy & Bellamy for the company.

On Friday of the second week the first case is that of City of Wilmington vs. Iredell Meares, with reference to a back tax settlement. City Attorney W. J. Bellamy appears for the plaintiff and Messrs. Robert Ruark, now of Lexington, N. C., and Russell & Gore, by special appearance, for Mr. Meares.

The other cases are largely appeals from Justice courts and are of no special interest.

No civil suits are set for the first three days of the forthcoming term as it is expected that those days will be consumed in the hearing of the few criminal cases on the docket, one of which is the contempt proceedings, instituted at the late term.

Wilmington's Winter Schedule.

Elsewhere in to day's STAR Capt. Jno. W. Harper advertises the Winter schedule of the steamer "Wilmington" between this city and Southport. The trips are very conveniently arranged for the travelling public. Freight is received from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily except Sunday.

50 New Pattern Hats received by Express at Polvogt's. Call to-morrow and see the display. †

NEW CAPE FEAR STEAMER.

"Sea Gate," Handsome Craft, for Wilmington and Southport Line.

The Wilmington, Southport and Little River Transportation Co. announces the purchase in New York of the steamer "Sea Gate," and her expected arrival there this evening or tomorrow morning. The "Sea Gate" will be used on the Wilmington and Southport line, plying regularly between these ports as a mail, passenger and freight boat. The "Sea Gate" was found by the company after a search of the entire coast for a steamer to meet the exact requirements here. She has lately been used by one of the yacht clubs there, has two decks and is licensed to carry 300 passengers. She is of 125 tons burthen, 105 feet long, 24 feet wide, draws 5½ feet of water and is fitted with two triple expansion engines and twin screws, giving her an average speed of 16 miles per hour. The finishing of the boat is the finest, and all in all she will be one of the most handsome on the Cape Fear.

The new steamer is now being brought down the coast by Capt. W. A. Sanders, with Capt. W. A. Snell as coast pilot.

SEASON'S BEST OFFERING

"The Marriage of Kitty" Scored Brilliant Success Here Last Night.

Nothing seen at the local theatre this season has eclipsed or quite equaled that irresistibly funny comedy "The Marriage of Kitty," which was presented at The Academy under the favorite management of Mr. Jules Murry by an all-star cast, headed by that delightful comic-opera prima donna, Miss Bettina Gerard, and Mr. Max Figman, who established himself with Wilmington theatre-goers as a light comedian par excellence. The play was also a spectacular treat, the staging and costumes having been elegant. The audience was unusually large for a Saturday night offering and the only criticism that can be successfully maintained is that there is not more of it, for interest does not lag a moment during the two and a half hours action of the play.

Miss Jane Evans as "Madam de Semiano," and Mr. David Elmer as "John Traveas" are quite above the standard of folks in the cast who are usually not mentioned in the press notices as "principals." They were good, exceptionally good.

Negro Shot Another.

Owen Meredith, colored, 25 years of age, came up to Policeman T. G. Evans at Fourth and Brunswick streets last midnight and reported that he had been shot. By whom, he was unable to say further than that he was a colored man and that "they called him Bud." The ambulance was called and Meredith was removed to the hospital where Dr. Akerman found that the ball had entered the back, struck the shoulder blade and buried itself in the muscles of the back. The wound is not thought to be dangerous. Later the police investigated the shooting and found that it occurred in the street in "Dross Neck." Policeman M. A. Jones arrested Howard Thompson, colored, and summoned two witnesses, one of whom saw the shooting and the other heard Thompson say he had "got his man."

Real Estate Transfers.

From deeds filed for record yesterday at the Court House the following real estate transfers appear: Geo. F. Seitter and wife to Nora G. Webb, for $100, property on west side of Fifth, 93 feet south of Bladen street, 38x110 feet in size. Walker Taylor and wife to Jno. B. Peschau, for $900, property at northwest corner of Eleventh and Dock streets, 60x75 feet in size. Peter Mohr and wife, F. A. Bissinger and wife and John Henry Mohr and wife to G. F. Seitter, for $800, two tracts of land in Masonboro township, containing nine and 44 acres, respectively.

Wilmington Presbytery Schools.

Rev. R. Murphy Williams, of Wallace, evangelist of Wilmington Presbytery, was here yesterday on his way to Bladenboro to assist the pastor, Rev. A. McFadyen, in a series of revival services. Rev. Mr. Williams has under his care the Presbyterian schools in the Presbytery and says all of them have opened remarkably well and the prospects for a most successful term is very bright. Rev. Mr. Williams and Rev. D. P. McGeachy have just closed a series of successful meetings at Wallace.

Building Permits.

The following building permits were issued yesterday: H. Henry Harris, two-story metal roof dwelling on Dock, between Eighth and Ninth streets. J. M. Wolff, one-story frame building on the northeast corner of Front and Meares streets for R. H. Reville. Thad F. Tyler, three one-story, frame houses on Second and Davis streets for D. R. Foster. R. W. Smith, two-story frame building, tin roof, on corner of Ninth and Orange streets.

Coast Line Restaurants.

Florence Times: "It is said that the Greshams will take charge of the Coast Line restaurants on Nov. 1. In Florence there will be no changes in the conduct of the restaurant, but it is said that the new owners will very greatly improve the facilities for conducting the business."

Children's School Hats 50c and up. Tamoshanta Caps, 25 and 50c. All the new styles in Ladies Hats lowest prices at Rehder's. †

Large assortment of Carpets and Rugs at Polvogt's—Read their advertisement. †

MINSTREL JUBILEE.

Big Elks' Benefit Performances at the Academy of Music To-morrow.

OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Shepard's Moving Pictures, "For Her Children's Sake" and Popular Miss Bob White Coming in Quick Succession—Press Comments.

To-morrow will bring about much merriment at the Academy, as the well known and popular William H. West's Minstrels, under the able management of Mr. Sanford H. Ricaby, will give two more performances in Wilmington. More interest than ordinarily is attached to the events on account of each being an Elk benefit, so scores of these jolly fellows of this city will grace both occasions. The matinee performance will commence at 3 o'clock so as to give the school children an opportunity of witnessing it. The admission will be 25 and 50 cents and each of the tickets purchased from the lady canvasser can be exchanged for two 50 cent tickets at Plummer's to-morrow, when the matinee tickets will be sold in advance. The West company is one of the largest and best on the road and this season is presenting many novelties. The stage settings are said to be superb and bewildering and will furnish a delightful feast for the eye. The corps of singers is splendid and the comedians the "pick of the bunch."



At noon to-morrow the merry minstrels will be seen on parade and the fine band of the company will give an open-air concert.

Mrs. Shepard has been in the city the past week, canvassing for the big benefit, has already secured subscribers to more than 800 tickets, and the house which will greet the minstrels promises to be the largest of the season.

"For Her Children's Sake"—What is said to be one of the most brilliant and successful melodramas ever written, which is from the pen of Theodore Kremer and produced by Sullivan, Harris & Woods, is announced for appearance at the Academy Tuesday night. The play tells a story of love, adventure, even tragedy, that holds the auditor breathless to the end. The author is said to have been inspired by the beautiful sentiment contained in that trite old saying, "The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world." The outcome is widely spoken of as the companion play to "The Fatal Wedding," and bids fair to rival its predecessor in point of popularity to a close finish. The sale of seats will commence at Plummer's to-morrow morning.

At Popular Prices—One of the most interesting entertainments will be given at the Academy on Wednesday and Thursday, with matinees, inasmuch as all the interesting and talked of events of the world will be seen. The Shepard High Class Moving Picture Company, which is the attraction spoken of, comes to the city for the first time. The most popular subject of the programme is "Buster Brown and his Dog Tige." This picture is said to be a twenty minute roar of the richest comedy. "The Life Savers" is a marvel of photography, showing the every detail in the life of the "life-savers." The most interesting of all is the war series of the Far East. Professor Shepard possesses all of the latest subjects of the most popular battle fought in the Russian-Japan war. Both Wednesday and Thursday afternoons a matinee will be given, the prices to the matinee being 15c. and 25c., and at night 15, 25 and 50c.

Brilliant "Miss Bob White"—Though so far this season wails have come from every source as to the disappointment in the present musical comedy line, not one dissenting voice has been heard regarding Nixon & Zimmerman's $50,000 production of Willard Spenser's "Miss Bob White," which is booked for the night of the 21st. In fact, nothing but the greatest praise has followed in its wake and record breaking receipts and attendances from every point in which Spenser's best opera has set his admirers whistling.

Registration Progressing Slowly.

The registrars for the general election in November were at their respective polling places yesterday for the purpose of recording any new names of persons who have moved into the precinct since the last general election or who have become of age or qualified for other reason since that time. The registration was very quiet yesterday, an unusual apathy about the matter being manifested by voters. Only two names, for instance, were recorded in the second ward yesterday. The matter should be given attention by every voter at the earliest possible moment. Registration is an absolute requisite to voting in November.

First Mate Dying.

First Mate Lockwood, on the Clyde liner "Carib," is dangerously ill at the Marine Hospital and was not expected to live through last night. His wife was telegraphed for and arrived from New York last night. Mr. Lockwood was taken ill several days ago and was sent to the hospital as soon as the ship arrived Friday from Georgetown. He is suffering from epilepsy.

Meet me at the Crescent cigar store and we will get a good smoke, and we will play a few games of pool and enjoy ourselves. ‡

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss Sadie Kramer, of Baltimore is visiting Mrs. J. T. Runge.

— Mrs. George Rountree and children returned yesterday from the mountains.

— Mrs. J. B. Wilkinson, of Atlanta, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. S. Lathrop.

— Mr. Alva H. Ward, cashier of the Lumberton Savings Bank, is here to spend Sunday.

— Mr. P. Heinsberger, Jr., representing the Monarch Paint Co., left for Newbern yesterday.

— Florence Times: "R. E. V. Austin passed through the city to-day going to Wilmington from Darlington."

— Mr. A. V. Laffiteau, of the A. C. L. auditing department, left last night for a ten days' trip to the St. Louis Exposition.

— Rev. W. M. Shaw, principal of the James Sprunt Institute, Kenansville, was a welcome visitor to the city yesterday.

— Mrs. Lillie Hurst, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Quinlivan, has returned to her home in Brunswick, Ga.

— Mr. F. K. Tomlinson went to Fayetteville Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Tomlinson. They are making their home there for the future.

— Rev. W. H. Davis, of Fayetteville, arrived last night and is a guest of Mr. Jno. F. Littleton. He will occupy the pulpit of Southside Baptist church at both services to-day.

— Prof. J. S. Leonard, teacher of vocal music in the country schools, is suffering from an attack of chills and fever to such an extent that he deemed it advisable for him to leave last night for his home in Statesville.

— In response to a telegram announcing serious illness in the family, Mrs. J. G. Walton,, her mother, and Mrs. A. W. Allen, her sister, left yesterday afternoon for Florence, S. C., to spend some time with Mrs. Geo. N. Lewis.

— Dr. N. Alex Culbreth, who graduated at the Atlanta Dental College last April a year ago, and who has been practicing his profession in the country, has decided to locate in Wilmington and will practice with his father, Dr. N. M. Culbreth, at the corner of Front and Princess streets, where he will be pleased to see his friends. He has the reputation of being a good dentist and the STAR wishes him much success.

WEDDING A PRETTY ONE.

Augusta Tribune's Account of Marriage of Mr. Smith and Miss Carter.

The Augusta (Ga.) Tribune of Thursday, contains a long account of the marriage of Miss Annie Carter and Mr. Leonidas O'Neill Smith, at Graniteville, S. C., last Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed in the Baptist church, which was decorated with a profusion of palms, potted plants and white cut flowers. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carter. Concluding its account of the wedding, the Tribune says:

The esteem in which both bride and groom are held was demonstrated by the large number of wedding presents, among which was numbered an elegant array of silver, china bric-a-brac and furniture.

Mrs. Smith, as Miss Carter, is very popular and has many friends here in Augusta, where she has frequently visited as the guest of Mrs. O. T. Adams and the Misses Denning. That her marriage removes her to a distant city is a source of regret to her many friends, won by her sweet and lovable traits of character both here and in her own home.

Two Lamp Explosions.

The explosion of two lamps in quick succession in different parts of the city gave the Fire Department "something doing" for a while early last night. At 6:47 an alarm came in from box 31. A lamp exploded in the store of Owen Hall, colored, and a damage of about $25 had resulted before the flames were extinguished. Hall had no insurance. At 7:10 P. M. an alarm from box 61 hurriedly called the department from the first fire to the residence of Mr. W. F. Penny, No. 710 Orange street, where a lamp had exploded in the kitchen. The damage was only trifling.

Distinguished Colored Bishop.

Rt. Rev. W. J. Gaines, D. D., presiding bishop of the Second Episcopal Dist. of the A. M. E. church, will preach at St. Stephen's A. M. E. church to-day at 10:30 A. M. and at Mt. Olive A. M. E. church at 7:30 P. M. The bishop will also lecture at St. Stephen's church Monday night, October 10th, on the subject, "Harmony Between the Races." All are cordially invited to be present. Provisions will be made to seat all white people who desire to attend. No charges at the door.

"Back again, old boy." "Well, where are you going in such a hurry?" "Down to the Crescent cigar store to get a good smoke. They always keep a fresh stock of goods, and are rattling good fellows. Come and go with me." "Why sure." ‡

Read the Polvogt Co's advertisement in this issue—New hats received by Express—displayed Monday and Tuesday. †

Silk Sale at Polvogt's, read their advertisement, special low prices. †

Ladies select your Millinery at Polvogt's—their styles are up-to-date. †

In selecting your Millinery at Polvogt's you know the style is right. †

Agents NEW IDEA 10c Patterns

REHDER'S,

Agents Crawford Shoes For Men and Women. $3.50 and $4.00.

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

All the latest styles, seventy-five styles to select from.

$1.50 Hats for Ladies and Children 98 cents.

Grandest stock of Dress Goods at special prices. Write for samples.

Ladies' Sweaters, Newest Styles, $1 50, 1,98, 2,99, 4,50.

Boys' and Girl's Sweaters 50c and upwards.

J. H. REHDER & CO.

Car fare paid on purchases of $2.00 and upwards. oct 9 tf

WHY NOT TREAT THE YOUNGSTERS RIGHT?

Buy them snappy looking shoes just like Dad wears—not the clumsy looking any-old-thing they have been wearing. You can get them at

SOLOMON'S

They cost no more than the other kind.



Exectping Cargo Salt Daily.

The four masteed schooner Edith H. Symington is expected to arrive daily with a cargo of

SALT! SALT! SALT!

—ALSO—

Another schooner expected in course of a week or ten days. Send orders at once to

D. L. Gore Company,

Wholesale Grocers and Importers, Wilmington, N. C.

SCHOOL BOOKS

SCHOOL Supplies.

C. W. YATES & CO.,

oct 2 tf Market street.

Wilmington and Southport Steam Boat Line.

Winter Schedule.

Steamer Wilmington leaves Wilmington Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15, A. M.

Leave Southport, 2 P. M.

Leave Southport Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 5 A. M.; leave Wilmington at 2 P. M.

Extra trip leave Wilmington on Thursday at 5 A. M.; Leave Southport, 5 P. M. Saturday freight received from 7 a. m. until 5 P. M.

J. W HARPER.

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Big Fire Sale

of Lumber on Monday, October 10, at 10 A. M., at

The Pittsburg Lumber Co.'s Wharf

We will sell about half million feet of Flooring, Ceiling, Partition and Moulding.

Boat will leave Market street wharf at 9.30 A. M.

M. D. HAYS, G. M.

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tuesday Night, October 11.

"FOR HER CHILDREN'S SAKE."

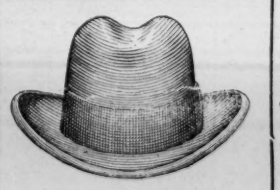
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For Congress—Sixth District:
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TREASURER.—Hector McL. Green.

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CONSTABLE, Wilmington Township.—W. B. Savage.

AMERICA A GREEDY GIANT.

The tremendous industrial development of the world is to-day the greatest menance to the future peace of the world. The expansion of nations and the rivalry of the world powers to acquire colonial possessions is not to oppress the brown people, or the black peoples with the tyranies of government, but to exploit them for trade. The powers are bent on monopolizing territory in Asia and Africa for the purpose of keeping life in the industries at home. In the end it may be an industrial oppression of the brown men and the black men, but it also may mean that their right to govern themselves will be denied them while "benevolent assimilation" is going on and more than likely may never end.

The fact is the European powers, monachical and imperial in their nature, will not seek the benevolent assimilation of the peoples which came under their dominion, but that is a plea to justify the American republic in going into colonial enterprises. It is a plea to satisfy the consciences of a people who have been committed to the ideal that government rests upon the consent of the governed. The acquirement of the Philippines by the United States was the outcome of the demands of our industrial growth. The archipeligo was wanted by us for no other purpose than to provide a market for our manufactured products. The Republican scheme was not to carry to the Philippines the blessings of freedom and popular government but to trade them to a stand still. For the same reason Roosevelt took advantage of Colombia to get control of the Panama canal gone. He denies that our government encouraged the rebellion of Panama, but just the same when he caught Columbia with its pantaloons in a position all the same, as the adage goes, he waded in and caused the sister Republic to "go way back and sit down." Little Panama pressed the button and he did the rest.

However, let it all pass. We started out to say that the industrial development by the world powers is the present menace to the peace of the world. The bloody war in the East between Russia and Japan is over Manchuria and Korea as the bones of contention. These possessions are wanted to keep life in Japan's industries, which Russia wants the one to serve that purpose and also give her a naval base on the Pacific. After all it an industrial war. The American world power is watching it with a selfish interest, and we cannot deny it. Our sympathies are with the power under whose victory our trade will have the best showing in China. Europe knows how we are looking at the fight, and the statesmen over there have got a good eye when they see which way the American cat is jumping.

A cablegram in the Washington Post dated Paris, October 5th, tells us that some European statesmen seem to be seriously concerned for the economic future of Europe. They see, or fancy they see, deep-laid schemes on the part of the United States for absorbing the commerce of Asia, and appear to think the moment has arrived to issue a serious note of warning.

To-day, says the Paris telegram, we have M. Meline, former prime minister and leader of the French protectionists, sounding the alarm in the Republique Francaise in an article entitled "United States in Asia." Meline says no mistake should be made in Europe as to the vast designs in the Far East on the part of the great republic. It is in that direction that it is evidently turning its commercial ambition. Some day, he says, England may regret having assisted Japan, which he predicts will prefer to throw itself into the arms of the great American republic, which is closer to her and may render her services, rather than to hand over China to British industry, whose rivalry Japan fears.

Finally, M. Meline says, one cannot refrain from rather melancholy reflections on the commercial and economic future of old Europe. The more her industry increases, the more her machinery improves, and the more her warehouses become crammed with goods the more restricted and narrow is her expansion abroad. She now finds herself in the presence of a giant with mighty jaws, who is taking away her custom. After having seized a portion, that of South America, the giant is preparing to deprive her of that of the yellow races, the most important in the world. It is true he consents to leave to Europe the negroes of the Soudan and the vast regions of Africa, but until that proves profitable poor Europe, in the French statesman's opinion, will have time to stew in her own juice.

We have got Europe guessing and we guess they are guessing right.

THE PROTECTION IDEA.

The protection of industries by levying a tariff which practically prohibits the importation of foreign products that may compete with home products is known as the "American Doctrine." Henry Clay was the father of "protection," and the United States have gone to such extreme lengths in following out the theory that we have got all the world hedging against us. We have practically shut foreign trade out of our markets, and while other European countries, Germany in particular, have followed our example, we find Mr. Chamberlain conducting a protection campaign in Great Britain. The idea is spreading and when all nations put a protection wall around themselves, they will have to live on themselves or scoop in other portions of the world to trade upon. Canada is going into the protection business, and in the following from the New York Journal of Commerce, we get two interesting things:

Protection sentiment in Canada has manifested itself in the organization of a Made-in-Canada Club, whose members pledge themselves to give the preference in their purchases to home products. In the old days of slavery some of the abolitionists entered into engagements never to eat molasses or sugar unless they knew it to be imported, and to wear no article of cotton. But the prosperity of the South was not thereby appreciably affected. The Merchandise Marks Act in England was passed in the belief that patriotism would lead persons to avoid articles marked "Made in Germany," and to insist upon articles of home production. It has been complained since that Englishmen are so lost to all sense of patriotism that they buy imported articles without remorse, and our cigar manufacturers have induced the Treasury to put the badge of foreign origin upon the least conspicuous part of a cigar box, because they say that Americans will buy foreign in preference to domestic cigars. The Made-in-Canada Club may have some influence in getting the tariff advanced, which is one of its purposes, but in individual shopping it is likely to prove a melancholy failure.

The United States may get a lesson from too much protection. We raise our revenues by a tariff levied for that purpose and for the protection of American industries. Too much of a good thing, however, may kill the goose that lays the golden egg. When our tariff is so high that it puts an end to imports it puts a stop to the revenue we get out of it. Probably that is the reason why the Roosevelt administration is struggling with a deficit in the treasury, independent of the Panama canal purchase expenditure.

The election of Judge Parker means saner tariff laws and more equitable relations with the balance of the world. The Wilson-Gorman Democratic tariff relieved some of our protection burdens, and by encouraging trade with Europe produced more revenue than any previous Republican high tariff. At the same time the industries of America were not hurt by a lower tariff, for imports were less than under previous Republican tariffs. The fact is the panic conditions inherited from the Republican administration recovered equilibrium under the Wilson-Gorman tariff, arguments of Republican spellbinders to the contrary notwithstanding.

Testimony of a Minister.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters, and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It is guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 50c. †

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CURRENT COMMENT.

— And now they are talking of tunnelling the Delaware river. Poor George Washington; he died too soon.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

— President Roosevelt will keep his hands off Wisconsin, which shows that he has some regard for his hands when he sees a buzz saw in operation.—Chicago News.

— The United States will not at this time intervene in Congo State affairs. Here is one case in which the color question was not a temptation to meddle.—Baltimore Sun.

— Let it be borne in mind that a change in the representation of but 16 Congressional districts out of 384 will give the control of the House to the enemy, the Republicans to-day having a majority of only 30. The margin is too narrow to risk the loss of a single district.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

— A negro of the name of Knox is running for Congress in the Indianapolis district of Indiana. This is Jesse Overstreet's district. Knox, by all the rules of courtesy and consistency, ought to have the support of Crumpacker and his following. But it is dollars to doughnuts that the negro will receive mighty few white Republican votes on election day. Indiana Republicans are mighty fond of negro politicians—in the South.—Savannah News.

— The suggestion that President Parker, if put to it, might experience some difficulty in persuading his Southern friends to vote for age pensions to the surviving veterans of the Civil War, is altogether gratuitous, considering the record of the Representatives from the Southern States in voting for the present liberal scale of pensions to Northern soldiers without a protest. Their attitude with reference to pensions has been one of the most remarkable exhibitions of gracious submission to what may be called the exactions of a victorious foe that history records.—Boston Herald.

— About the center of Goldsboro on John street, there is a place that has won the distinction of "dispensary" and is the abode of Mr. W. C. Ginn. Recently this place was broken into and a small quantity of whiskey stolen. Oh the same night several men were found drunk, supposedly from the effects of this same liquor, and several of them were placed in the city lockup, but no one knew anything about the "dispensary" liquor. After breaking in and stealing the liquor the thief or thieves left the following inscription on a card tacked to the back door of the place: "Dispensary closed for fifteen days."

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' church: First mass, 7 A. M.; high mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M.; vespers, 7:45 P. M.

Rev. W. H. Davis will occupy the pulpit of Southside Baptist church to-day at 11 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

Elder W. H. Armstrong, a Seventh Day Advent minister, will preach at the Beckom Mission, on Wooster, between Front and Second streets, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Murchison Bank building: Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon: "Doctrine of Atonement." All are invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, Rev. C. W. Kegley, pastor: Sunday schoool at 10 A. M.; preaching at 11 A. M.; vesper services at 8 P. M.; Young People's Society, Wednesday at 8 P. M. Every person welcome.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabreas, rector: Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 P. M. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Seats free; strangers are cordially invited.

Fifth Street Methodist church, Rev. A. McCullen, pastor: At 11 A. M., subject, "The Pure in Heart Shall See God;" at 8 P. M., special sermon to the young people. Special music under auspices of the N. N. S. Society. A hearty welcome to all services.

Grace church: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor. This has been designated "Consecration Day," and all the members of the church are specially urged to attend the morning and evening services. Sunday school, 3 P. M.

Bladen Street M. E. Church, South, corner Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. Geo. B. Webster, pastor: Services to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by the pastor. Subject for morning, "Some Lessons from ChristWashing the Disciples' Feet." Evening subject, "The Two Foundations." Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. Mid-week service, Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor: Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity; German service with the holy communion, 11 A. M; service of confession, 10:30 A. M.; English vesper service with the first of a series of sermons on the Reformation, 8 P. M.; Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. A cordial welcome to all. Seats free.

TWINKLINGS.

— Homer—What's the difference in time between Chicago and Paris? Rounder—Well, that depends on the kind of time you are looking for.—Chicago News.

— De man dat devotes hisse'f to fault findin'," said Uncle Eben, "turns out many a fine job o' work dat doesn' give satisfaction to nobody.—Washington Star.

Noggs—My little girl is two years old, and cannot talk yet. Boggs—Don't be at all alarmed. My wife was three years old before she could say a word, and now—!—Stray Stories.

— Giffie—That fresh chap, Jinkins, didn't seem to get along in the Georgia backwoods. Spinks—No; he was always hollering "Cheese it," and this naturally made him unpopular with the crackers.—Exchange.

— Old Friend: So you have at last consented to marry some one. How did it happen? Miss Flippant: Well, every man that has ever proposed before has said, 'Will you be my wife?' But Harold asked if he might have the honor of being my husband.—Detroit Free Press.

— "Prosperity?" said Dr. Slighcem, the eminent surgeon. "There is altogether too much prosperity! It is killing business." "In what way?" asked the other. "Why, sir, almost anybody can afford to have appendicitis nowadays, and, in consequence, all of my best patients regard it as too common and refuse to have it."—Chicago Tribune.

— "Do you consider noise injurious to health," asked the seeker after information. "Indubitably," replied the old-fashioned doctor. "I have always thought that if Jim Jeffries hadn't chosen boilermaking as a trade he might have been a strong and healthy man."—Chicago Tribune.

— English as She is Written in Zermatt.—On the back of a business card of a Zermatt shoe dealer is the following notice: "Pay attention to this Visitors are kindly invited to brought your boots self to the shoemaker, then they are frequently nagled by the Portier and that is very dammageable for boots and kosts the same price."—Punch.

— At Lumberton on Thursday, the Robeson county Republican convention nominated the following ticket: Senate, W. J. Currie; House, W. K. Culbreth, W. H. Kinlaw; Sheriff, J. W. Hall; Register of Deeds, K. Atkinson; Coroner, W.H. Barnes; Surveyor, D. P. McNeill; Treasurer, Thomas Hedgpeth; Commissioners, W. S. Johnson, N. T. Andrews, F. L. McCormick, I. E. Tyner, K. Barnes, says the Lumberton Argus. The personnel of the convention was good, and the crowd decently large. The old time Republicans were in evidence, but the element that came by way of the Populist route formed the larger element, and it is clear that there is the nucleus of a good minority party in it.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, October 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $3.25 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $2.10; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	61
Rosin	153
Tar	142
Crude turpentine	269

Receipts same day last year—64 casks spirits turpentine, 166 barrels rosin, 38 barrels tar, 85 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 9½c for middling.

Receipts—3,783 bales; same day last year, 3,158.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 12c.

EGGS—Dull at 18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Money on call was quoted nominal; no loans made; time loans were steady; sixty days 3 per cent; ninety days 3¼ per cent.; six months 3¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange barely steady; actual business in bankers' bills 485.30@485.40 for demand and 483.30@483.40 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 484@484½ and 486@486½. Commercial bills 482¾@483¼. Bar silver 57¼. Mexican dollars 45¾. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 104¼; U.S. refunding 2's. coupon, ex int, 104¼; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104½; do. coupon, 105½; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 131½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 131½; U.S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, ex int, 106½; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98½; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 101½; Norfolk & Western consol. 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 80½; Southern Railway 5's, 117¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 93; Chesapeake & Ohio 44½; Manhattan L 154½; New York Central 129½; Reading 71⅞; do. 1st pref'd, 85¼; do. 2nd pref'd 78; Southern Railway 32½; do. pref'd 94; Amalgamated Copper 62⅛; People's Gas 102⅛; Tennessee Coal and Iron 48½; U. S. Leather 9½; U. S. Leather preferred, 87½; Western Union 92; U. S. Steel 16⅝; do. preferred 75⅝; Mexican Central 13⅞; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 33¼; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 106¼; sales — shares. Standard Oil 642.

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 8.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 15¼@16; do. preferred, 32½@33; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 135½@136; do. preferred —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $2 85. Spirits turpentine steady at 55½@56½.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 8.—Spirits turpentine—Nothing doing; sales — casks. Rosin—Nothing doing; no quotations.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 8.—Spirits turpentine was quiet at 52½c; receipts 521 casks; sales — casks; exports 1 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 1,438 barrels; sales 1,007 bbls; exports 969 barrels: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $1 55; E, $2 60; F, $2 65@2 67½; G, $2 70; H, $2 77½; I, $2 90; K, $3 65; M, $4 15@4 17½; N, $4 37½; W G, $4 55@4 60; W W, $4 80.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 1@6 points in response to steadier Liverpool cables than expected, and immediately after the call increased the gain somewhat on local covering and demand from bull interests. Later however, the market eased off under realizing and declined about nine points from the opening, after which it was steadied by renewed covering and ruled about unchanged with trading quiet and featureless. The weather was favorable, receipts liberal, and the week end statistics bearish. Receipts at the ports to-day 61,519 bales against 72,539 last week and 44,000 last year. For the week 400,000 bales against 397,869 last week and 299,519 last year. To day's receipts at New Orleans were 14,021 bales against 5,774 last year and Houston 13,081 bales against 10,000 last year.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Cotton was quiet at 10.45c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 2,937 bales; stock 44,493 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10.45; middling gulf 10.70c; sales — bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: October 10.00, November 10.04, December 10.11, January 10.16, February 10.20, March 10.21, April 10.25, May 10.27.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 61,519 bales; exports to Great Britain 19,041 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 24,213 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 50 bales; stock 476,672 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 61,519 bales; exports to Great Britain 19,041 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to Continent 24,213 bales; exports to Japan 610 bales; exports to Mexico 50 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,534,766 bales; exports to Great Britain 566,508 bales; exports to France 110,277 bales; exports to the Continent 330,223 bales; exports to Japan 5,860 bales; exports to Mexico 3,995 bales.

Oct. 8.—Galveston, quiet at 10c, net receipts 18,055 bales; Norfolk nominal, net receipts 4,103 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10.25, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10.45, net receipts 6 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 3,783 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.70, net receipts — bales; Savannah, firm at 9 13 16, net receipts 15,788 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 10c, net receipts 14,021 bales; Mobile, firm at 9⅝c, net receipts 3,193 bales; Memphis, steady at 10c, net receipts 2,508 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 15-16c, net receipts 3,300 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 1,902 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Flour was steady but quiet; Minnesota patents $6 10@6 45; winter patents $7 45@7 75. Wheat—Spot quiet and firm; No.2 red $1 15¼. Options closed quiet but firm, 1¼c net higher; May closed $1 15⅜; December closed $1 13⅜c. Corn—Spot firm; No.2 55½c. Options closed dull at ½c net advance; May closed 52½c; December 55⅜c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 26@32 lbs, 35@36c. Peanuts dull; fancy hand-picked 5@5¼c; other domestic 3@6¼c. Cabbages steady; Long Island, per hundred, $2 00@3 00; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steamer, 16c. Potatoes—Market was quoted steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 50@2 00; Jersey and Southern $1 50@1 75; Jersey sweets $1 00@1 50. Butter quiet; creamery, common to extra 13@20½c; State dairy, common to extra 13@19½c. Cheese quiet; State, small colored fancy 10½c; small white fancy 10⅝; large colored fancy 10c, large white fancy 9¾c. Eggs steady; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, extra fancy 28@30; Western fancy, selected 21@22c; Southern 16@19. Lard quiet; Western steam $8 20; October closed $8 20, nominal; refined quiet; continent $8 40; compound 6½@6¾c. Tallow steady; city ($2 per package) 4⅝; country (package free) 4⅝@5c.. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar 3⅛c; refined quiet; confectioner's A $4 90; mould A $5 40; cut loaf $5 75; crushed $5 75; powdered $5 15; granulated $5 05; cubes $5 30. Molasses steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice 31@37c. Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 2⅞@5½c. Pork steady; family $16 00; short clear $14 00@17 50; mess pork $13 25@13 75. Cotton seed oil was firm with a fair demand. Quoted: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 23½c; prime summer yellow 29¾@30; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 32½c; prime winter yellow 32½c.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 8⅜c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices and closed steady at a net loss of 5 points on all positions except March and April which were 10 points lower Sales 45,250 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 8.—Cotton: Spot, quiet, prices six points higher; American middling 5.40d; good ordinary 5.18d. The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 400 bales were for speculation and export and included 3,200 bales American. Receipts 6,000 bales, including 2,300 American.

Futures opened steady and closed steady; American middling (g o c): October 5.52d; October and November 5.49d; November and December 5.49d; December and January 5.49d; January and February 5.49d; February and March 5.50d; March and April 5.51d; April and May 5.51d; May and June 5.52d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Br stmr Huelva, 1,691 tons, Harvey, Philadelphia, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

CLEARED.

Clyde steamer Carib, Chichester, New York, H G Smallbones.

Br stmr Rosneath, Findley, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schr Wm P Hood, Smith, Boston, C D Maffitt.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

BOSTON—Schr Wm P Hood, 13,000 cross-ties; cargo by B F Keith Co; vessel by C D Maffitt.

FOREIGN.

BREMEN—Br stmr Rosneath, 5,470 bales cotton; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., October 9.

STEAMERS.

Huelva (Br), 1,691 tons, Harvey, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ras Dara (Br), 2,495 tons, McCambridge, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Guiseppe Corvaja, (Ital) 1,097 tons. Battone, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Falka, (Br) 1,107 tons, Merrifield, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Tolosa, (Br) 2,099 tons, Holttum, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ursula Bright, (Br) 2,114 tons, Coode, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Pasadina, 501 tons, Nugent, C D Maffitt.

Tyree, (Br) 285 tons, Ross, C D Maffitt.

Lillian Woodruff, 288 tons, Perkins, C D Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—48 bales cotton, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—393 bales cotton, 35 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2,888 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 88 barrels rosin, 30 barrels tar, 61 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—184 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—49 bales cotton; 23 casks spirits turpentine; 25 barrels rosin; 77 barrels tar, 50 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer E. A. Hawes—159 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 318 barrels tar, 27 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Whitlock—2 bales cotton, 4 barrels tar, 52 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Sanders—60 bales cotton.

Steamer Alice—35 barrels rosin; 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—3,783 bales cotton, 61 casks spirits turpentine, 153 barrels rosin, 142 barrels tar, 269 barrels crude turpentine.

Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he is entirely cured. They are guaranteed to cure. 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

See Window Display of

TWENTY MULE TEAM BORAX,

Beautiful Gibson Picture is given away with each pound package.

HARDIN'S
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Satisfaction Leads to

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We Have the Largest Stock of Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Knee Pants in this City,



And if you wish to know how to dress your boys correctly for this autumn and winter season and at the same time economically, we cordially invite you to visit our store and inspect the new season's Suits and Top Coats which we have gathered from the best manufacturers in the country. We have confined our purchases to two houses, but selected the best and the results certainly surpass every previous effort. It is not alone the modern prices that count with us, but the great values which we offer at each price and the genuine goodness in every fibre and thread, and the same rule applies to our Hats and Haberdashery.

We are proud of the offerings we're able to make at each price.

Boys' Clothing.

The boy will use his clothes hard if he is healthy and it is a good sign. It is "up to you" therefore to provide the kind that "will stand the racket." If you buy from us we guarantee that they will do so and our prices will always save you money.

SUITS, from	$1.50 to $7 50
OVERCOATS, from	3 00 to 7 50
KNEE PANTS, from	50c to 1.50

HATS AND CAPS—ALL KINDS.

Men's Clothing.

Men's Top Coats $12.00 to $30. Men's Fall Suits $7.50 to $22.50. There are two collections, however, which we wish you to see particularly, and which will exemplify every phase of the new season's fashions in fabric and design, and they are the Suits and Top Coats which we have marked $12.50 to $16.50. You would not get the same quality and style made to measure for less than $22.00 to $35.00 and even then you will not be sure of the fit and satisfaction as you are here

Our display of Autumn Hats and Haberdashery is complete with the finest the market affords, and on every purchase in either department, we guarantee a direct saving of money for you.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,

One Price Clothiers and Furnishers. sep 29 tf

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OATS, MEAL,

Flour, Sugar, Molasses,

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Will sell round trip tickets from Wilmington at the above low rate, which includes one admission to Fair Grounds.

Tickets on sale October 14th to 21st, inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Raleigh beforenoon of October 22nd, with final limit to return October 24th, 1904. Correspondingly low rates from other points.

Ask the Ticket Agent or 'phone 160. No trouble to answer questions.

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A thoroughly reliable and time-tested remedy for all diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys is

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Stuart's Gin and Buchu can be obtained at all drug stores, but if you desire to test the remedy, send us your name and address and a trial sample will be sent you absolutely free. Do not delay or neglect this warning which nature is giving in the form of pains in the back, dizziness, irregularities in the urine, etc., but write for a sample to-day. Address Stuart Drug Co., 68 Wall St., Atlanta, Ga.

For sale by ROBT. R. BELLAMY, Druggist.
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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 6th, 1904.
Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 428,158 55
Furniture and fixtures $1000 00	100 00
Demand loans	47,550 00
Due from banks and bankers	22,554 32
Cash items	6,361 28
Gold coin	75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	781 00
Total	$505,959 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13 127 61
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Deposits subject to check	405,400 66
Demand certificates of deposit	33,738 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,578 15
Certified checks	100 00
Total	$505 959 35

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.
S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JOHN H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY, } Directors.
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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE WILMINGTON Savings & Trust Company, at Wilmington, state of North Carolina, at the close of business September 6th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$947,804 58
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	5,500 00
Furniture and fixtures	2 00
All other real estate owned	1,250 00
Demand loans	62,373 00
Due from banks and bankers	142,669 31
Cash items	47 51
Gold coin	10 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	73 44
National Bank notes and other U. S. notes	2,289 00
Total	$1,162,019 34

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$25,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	81,496 75
Times certificates of deposit ....$ 46 908 75	
Deposits subject to check 1,008,613 84	1,055,522 59
Total	$1,162,019 34

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County, ss:

I, C. E. Taylor, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day of September, 1904.
CHAS. S. GRAINGER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. V. GRAINGER,
J. W. YATES,
D. O'CONNOR, } Directors
sept 15 tf

NEW BOOKS

A Ladder of Swords; by Gilbert Parker.
The Last Hope; by Henry Seton Merrimon.
The Crossing; by Winston Churchill.
Vergilius; by Irving Bacheller.
Four Roads to Paradise; by Maud Wilder Goodwin.
In the Bishop's Carriage; by Marian Michelson.
The Pillar of Light; by E. J. Clode.
The Motor Pirate; by G. Sidney Paternoster.

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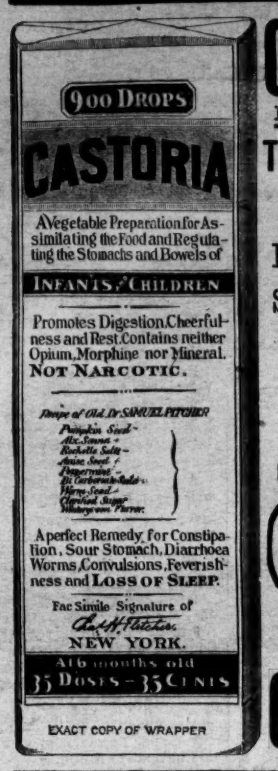
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We will be prepared to fill your wants this Fall with the latest styles and low prices.

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Are you satisfied that they are as good as can be gotten for your money. If you are not here's where we can serve you. We know just how strong School Shoes should be. Just how flexible, just what last and widths must be carried in stock in order to fit the feet properly, and we figure so close on prices that our School Shoes cost no more than poor ones. Bring in the Boys and Girls for their School Shoes. Your money back if anything goes wrong.

GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS.

sep 30 tf

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK,

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Organized March, 1899.

Capital surplus and stock liability	$750,000
Deposits	1,650,000
Total Assets	2,350,000

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We deal in foreign exchange and furnish letters of credit.

H. C. McQUEEN, President,

J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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We have in stock the following reliable brands:

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Edenton is soon to have a new bank. The amount of stock required has been taken and it only remains to secure a desirable location before the building will be begun.

—Near Albemarle, Stanly county, on Thursday, Louis Bogle, a negro man 25 years of age, assaulted little Annie May Hinson, a 7 year old orphan child, also colored. The child is living with her sister, and Bogle committed the dastardly deed when he found the child alone in the house. He is in jail.

— The Bank of LaGrange expects to begin business about November 1. The officers are: W. E. Borden, president; Dr. J. W. P. Smithwick, vice-president; R. G. Creech, cashier. Rouse Bros. private bank will be changed to a stock institution at an early date. At a meeting held Thursday afternoon upwards of ten thousand dollars was subscribed to this end.

— The directors of the Eastern Life Insurance Company met Friday at the home offices of the company in the city of Charlotte, and elected the following officers: T. S. Franklin, president; J. M. McCausland, vice-president; Chas. Brenizer, secretary; A. E. McCausland, treasurer; R. L. Gibson, medical director, and H. Susman general manager. The capital stock was also increased and they are preparing to enter the adjoining States.

— The following is from the New York World of Thursday: The executive committee of the National Child Labor Committee yesterday afternoon appointed two assistant secretaries for special work in the Northern and the Southern States. A. J. McKelway, of Charlotte, N. C., editor of the Charlotte Daily News, was appointed for the South, and Owen R. Lovejoy, pastor of the First Congregation Church of Mount Vernon, N. Y., and general secretary of the New York State Conference of Religion, for the North. Dr. Felix Adler, William H. Baldwin, Jr., Alexander J. Cassatt, Cardinal Gibbons, Grover Cleveland, Robert W. De Forest, Isaac N. Seligman, Hoke Smith and Rev. C. B. Wilmer, D. D., of Atlanta, have been added to the committee.

1 — The Yadkin Ripple has the following which bears on the attempt to capture the fellows who have been robbing postoffices: Frank Williams, white, is under arrest at Charleston, S. C., believed to be one of the parties who robbed the postoffice here a month since. He was selling postage stamps when arrested. He is believed, by parties who have seen his picture, to be the man who was here on the day before the robbery claiming to be a clothing dealer. Postoffice Inspector Reddy is doing some hard work on the case and was at Rockford yesterday to consult with Postmaster Mackey and Dr. Harding. The doctor saw the man who was here. It is to be hoped that Mr. Reddy will be able to prove his guilt."

— Raleigh News and Observer: Here' a political artical in the New York Herald that will be news to North Carolina: "Thomas E. Watson, the Populist candidate for President, arrived in the city from North Carolina, where had made such an impression as to cause uneasiness among the Democratic campaign managers. He will devote the remainder of the canvass to campaigning in the North and West." The flattering report of the speech in the Charlotte Observer and the invitation from D. A. Tompkins to Charlotte has evidently caused Watson to think he will do big things in North Carolina. But the same folks were against Bryan and he carried North Carolina by large majorities. Parker's majority will not be less than 60,000.

— Rocky Mount Record: Hon. B. H. Bunn returned Thursday night from Baltimore, where he had been under treatment at a hospital. We are glad to be able to state that the condition of Mr. Bunn is very much improved. He is still very weak, but his permanent cure is almost a certainty. This will be very gratifying news all over the country, especially in view of the fact that Mr. Bunn's life was at one period during his absence despaired of. We express the desire of all his numerous friends in saying that we hope he will soon be at his practice again and that he will be spared many more years of useful life. Mr. Bunn has been advised by his physicians not to resume work in his profession until January 1st.

— The Commercial Club of Charlotte has extended to Mr. Daniel J. Sully, cotton merchant of New York, an invitation to attend a dinner to be given to him at the Manufacturers' Club in Charlotte, Tuesday, October 11th, at 8 o'clock P. M. The club has also invited him to make some formal remarks on the occasion of this dinner, on the subject of cotton, from whatever point of view he may wish to discuss it. The Charlotte Chronicle says Mr. Sully could not accept for the date named but will accept later. What remarks he may make at this dinner will be of great interest, inasmuch as it is thought that he will express his views with regard to new methods of preparing cotton for the market, of storing it and of distributing it to the consumer in ways that are better than those which are now given.

Saves Two from Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y.; "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and $1.00 bottles guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Trial bottles free.

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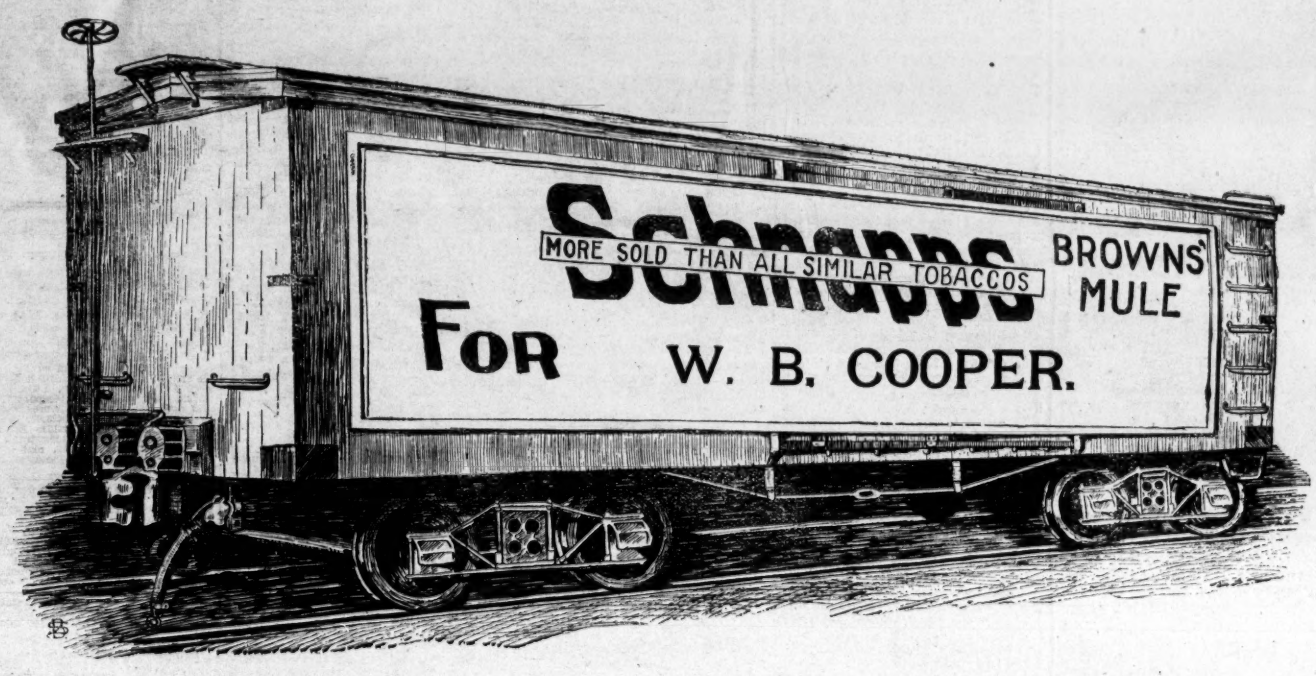
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W. B. COOPER, Wilmington, N. C.

— Charlotte News: The Union-Republican, the leading avowedly Republican paper in the State, is printing this low canard, in large type, underscored: "I think that a dollar a day is enough for any man, provided that his work is steady. Any man can live on that, and that is all that unskilled labor is worth. I am sorry that I have to pay more than that, and wonldn't if we had a better supply of labor hereabouts." Of course Judge Parker never said any such thing. The Union-Republican must know that he never said any such thing. It hasn't sense to come in out of the rain if it does not know it.

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Is Like Trying to Get Rid of Dandruff Without Herpicide.

Did you ever see any one trying to wash themselves without soap or water?

If you did what would you say of him?

It is every bit as foolish to try to get rid of Dandruff and to prevent Baldness by feeding the germs which cause it, with Canthrarides, Vaseline, Glycerine and similar substances which form the principal ingredients of most so-called Hair Vigors.

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It will be to your interest to see us before making any contracts.

1,000 Tons Domestic Bituminous Coal on hand now.

e solicit your patronage.

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Respectfully calls your attention to its

INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS $729,912.31.

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John S. Armstrong, President. J. W. Yates, Cashier.

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In addition to my line of Fancy China and Cut Glass I have just opened a full line of standard Plate flatware and expect to have a full line of Novelties for the Holidays. For the best goods and lowest prices always see

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Sole Agent Eff Eff Line of Clothings.

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I have the Shoes for tender feet. Phone 800.

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E. B. WILLIAMSON, Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

C. H. GATTIS, T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

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Suburban Trolley Line.

In Effect Wednesday, October 5th, 1904.

WEEK-DAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Front and Princess.	Leave Ocean View.
6 00 A. M.	8 40 A. M.
7 00 "	9 00 A. M.
10 00 "	11 00 "
1 00 P. M.	2 00 P. M.
3 00 "	4 00 "
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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

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Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 33 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 00 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 32 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 08 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 15 p m
Ar Wilson	11 38 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 45 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	2 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 35 p m	6 45 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 06 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	6 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 55 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	5 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 30 p m	4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	3 40 p m

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 9.

GEN. MATTHEW W. RANSOM

Died Suddenly, of Heart Failure at His Home, After a Long and Distinguished Career, Aged 78 Years.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 8.—Matthew W. Ransom, United States Senator from North Carolina for twenty-three years and minister to Mexico for two years, died suddenly of heart failure at his country home near Garysburg, Northampton county, N. C., at 1 o'clock this morning. He was 78 years of age, his death occurring on the date of his birth. The former senator had been afflicted with heart trouble for a number of years, and came near dying some years ago while making a speech at Statesville. He had been very feeble for some months.

General Ransom was perhaps the most popular man in public life in this State. He was attorney general several terms before the civil war and did valiant service during the war as brigadier general. He was elected to the United States Senate in 1872 and served until March 4th, 1895. He was appointed minister to Mexico by Mr. Cleveland in 1895 and served two years.

He was the largest individual land owner and cotton planter in the State. He leaves an estate estimated at nearly $1,000,000. At the time of his death Mrs. Ransom and her daughter were at their mountain home at Blowing Rock.

Senator Ransom's last public address was to the Confederate veterans, at Fayetteville, three months ago.

The funeral will occur at his home at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Masons conducting the burial services.

INCENDIARISM.

Twenty Years Imprisonment for Prominent Citizen of Webster Co, Ga.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICUS, GA., Oct. 8.—The trial of Sidney Harrell, upon the charge of incendiarism, was concluded in the Webster county court to-night, the jury returning a verdict of guilty. Judge Littlejohn sentenced Harrell to the penitentiary for twenty years. Harrell and his nephew, Harry Morgan, are well known citizens of Webster county and prominently connected. They were accused of burning the county site, Preston, in April, involving a loss of $30,000. Harry Morgan was convicted and is now serving a sentence of twenty years, and to-night the same sentence was imposed upon his relative and alleged confederate, Sidney Harrell. The trial excited great interest in this section of the State, owing to the prominence of Harrell.

NEW YORK BANKS.

Statement of Clearing House Averages for the Past Week.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 8.—The statement of averages of the Clearing House banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans, $1,145,989,200, increase 2,955,300. Deposits $1,205,276,000, decrease $7,521,100. Circulation $41,791,000, increase $1,215,000. Legal tenders $76,452,400, decrease $2,293,200. Specie $237,503,800, decrease $6,863,600. Reserve $313,955,900, decrease $9,156,800. Reserve required $301,319,000, decrease $1,880,375. Surplus $12,363,900, decrease $7,276,525. Ex-U. S. deposits $18,441,525, decrease $7,287,500.

FOOTBALL.

Record of Games Played by College Teams Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

At Charlotte: University of North Carolina, 0; Davidson, 0.

Princeton, 16; Washington and Jefferson, 0.

Harvard, 23; University of Maine, 0.
Carlisle Indians, 10; Bucknell, 4.
West Point, 18; Dickinson, 0.
Darmouth, 37; University of Vermont, 0.
Sewanee, 47; Mooney, 0.
Virginia Techs, 24; Washington and Lee, 0.
Roanoke College, 5; Roanoke City, 0.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 12; Philadelphia, 5. Second game: Washington, 0; Philadelphia, 2.
Detroit, 2; Cleveland, 1. Second game: Detroit, 0; Cleveland, 3.
Boston, 13; New York, 2. Second game: Boston, 1; New York, 0.
Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 2. Second game: Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.
Pittsburg, 2; Chicago, 8.
Brooklyn, 0; New York, 5.
St. Louis, 6; Cincinnati, 0.

GUNPOWDER EXPLOSION.

Two Boys Probably Fatally Injured Near Medina, Tennessee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Oct. 8.—A special to the Commercial Appeal from Medina, Tenn., says that by the premature explosion of gunpowder late this afternoon at that place, Herman Walker, the 17-year-old son of Rev. E. T. Walker, had one side of his face torn off and received other injuries which will result fatally. Jerry Sewell had his leg broken and may die. The explosion shook several houses severely, breaking window panes.

WOMAN DECLARED BANKRUPT.

Mrs. Richard, of Rocky Mount, Asks Settlement of Her Business.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 8.—Mrs. Richard, of Rocky Mount, filed a petition in banruptcy here to-day giving liabilities at $16,775 and assets at $7,550. She conducted a dry goods and millinery business.

A Love Letter

Would not interest you if you were looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It is the best Salve on earth." 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store †

AUTO RACE FOR VANDERBILT CUP

Exciting Event Witnessed by Thousands of People on Long Island.

WAS CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS

One Man Killed, Another Seriously Injured, Many Lives Placed in Jeopardy and Many Thousands of Dollars Expended,

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Four-wheeled vehicles of all sorts of incongruous shapes, rushing along the road at a speed from sixty to ninety miles an hour, the air resounding with the "honk honk" of horns, the clanging of bells, and the shouts of guards, signal flags waving and fluttering, and an occasional cheer from thousands of throats was the atmosphere in Minola, Homestead, Garden City and other Long Island suburbs of Greater New York to-day, during the three hundred mile auto race for the William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., cup.

One death, one man in hospital seriously injured, many lives placed in jeopardy during seven or eight hours of the day and many thousands of dollars expended, is the result.

The story of the race itself is one of intense excitement and nerve tension. After running for seven hours, some times at a speed of sixty to ninety miles an hour, faster than many express trains, George Heath, an American, driving a 90-horse power vehicle, of foreign make, and representing the Automobile Club of France, finished first in the run of three hundred miles, with Albert Clement, representing the same club and driving an 80-horse power machine, also of foreign make, one minute and twenty-eight seconds behind him.

When the two men flashed by the judges the crowds in the adjoining grand stand rose in a body and cheer after cheer relieved the tension of nerves that had held the crowd for so many hours. But the award was not yet certain, for Clement lodged a protest with the racing board of the Automobile Association of America, under whose control the race was held, and the decision given but a few minutes before was withdrawn until the board had made an investigation into the claims set forth by Clement. These were of a technical nature. Clement in his protest declared that he had been held up in Hempstead over a minute and a half and that if this time had been allowed him he would have won the race. He said that his gasolene tank broke in Hempstead and that time was taken on him while he was repairing it, contrary to the conditions of the race. He also asserted that his time in controls had been charged against him.

Like all previous races of the kind, there was a chapter of accidents and fatality. The victims were among the participants in the contest. Fortunately, none of the spectators along the course was hurt. The man killed was Carl Meusel, a chaffeur, who was driving the car of George Arents, of New York. The accident was caused by the tires slipping and it occurred about 8 o'clock, two hours after the start. The car was travelling at a tremendous rate and was approaching a curve, when it suddenly swerved and turned completely over. Meusel was caught beneath the machine while Arents was thrown to one side. Both men were taken to a hospital, where it was found Meusel had one arm broken and that his skull was fractured and that he had numerous cuts and bruises. One ear was torn off, one ankle sprained and he was internally injured. He died half an hour later at the hospital. Arents escaped with a few cuts and bruises. Arents' car was demolished.

The race was started at 6 o'clock. The course was over a thirty-mile triangle with turns that were sharp and dangerous. At two places the railroad crossed the highway grade, and these places were guarded by signal men. Twice at these crossings Gabriel, a French motorist, narrowly missed being struck by a train, in one instance running but two feet ahead of a loco motive.

The starters in the race were:

A. L. Campbell, Gabriel, Jos. Tracey, A. C. Webb, George Arents, Jr., H. H. Little, Heath, Ed. Hawley, Werner, Paul Sartoris, Maurice Bernin, Albert Clement, Tarte Teste, Charles Schmidt, Frank Croker, Luttgen and William Wallace.

After the first car was off, promptly at 6 A. M., the others followed at two minutes intervals. The Vanderbilt car was out of order when it came time to start and it was more than two hours later that it was ready. A flying start in violation of the rules was made, but the car kept on. It was officially barred, however.

The first accident of the day occurred when car No. 19, driven by Wallace, stopped for repairs at Hempstead. The machinist, Antonio Bonderl, was under the vehicle when it started without warning, and the rear wheels passed over his body. His injuries are not serious, however.

The machine owned by E. R. Thomas and driven by Hawley, while making one of the turns, swerved from the road, ran upon the grass along the road and narrowly missed crashing into a tree. Spectators were panic stricken, but the danger soon passed. Later the Thomas machine broke down and retired from the race.

Frank Croker's daring driving was a feature that brought spectators to their feet. After the fourth time around the 30-mile triangle, however, his machine had sustained injuries that put it out of the running.

There was a continuous bursting of tires at one point in the course that aroused suspicion and investigation showed that a quantity of sharp nails and broken glass had been thrown on the roadway. To this was due the retirement of a number of the machines early in the race.

Of the eighteen starters but eight remained in the race at the fifth round of the triangle or when the race was half over. Heath covered the last lap of thirty miles at the rate of 72 miles an hour. His average speed during the ten laps was 52 miles an hour.

The four remaining in the race, and who were from two to three laps behind at the finish, were called off without being allowed to finish because of its being found impossible to keep the crowd any longer under control after the exciting race between Heath and Clement. The first real excitement that brought the crowd in the grand stand to its feet was when Clement and Croker were coming to the line on the second round at a crashing speed, with but a second between them. As they dashed on past the judges' stand the spectators along the roadway scurried into the stand, the people in the stand rose and cheered. It was on the next round that Croker punctured a tire and retired.

Campbell, in an 80 horse power machine, was first to cross the white band across the roadway at the start. He was followed two minutes later by Gabriel, who held the lead for 60 miles or through the second round. His net time was 37 minutes 14 seconds, or a rate of 62 miles an hour.

Heath passed Queens in the second round in second place, having jumped from seventh to fourth place in the first round and to second place in the second round. At the third round Heath finished 7 minutes and 58 seconds ahead of Gabriel.

At 8:3 Teste was first, Heath second, Clement third and Gabriel fourth. Heath, however, finished the fourth round in the lead as to actual time. Hawley quit at the end of this round.

Heath continued to lead until the eighth lap, when he was delayed by trouble with his tire. Clement was driving his machine at terrific speed, and as it passed the stand there was a flash of a big hulk, a whizzing of wheels and a rush of wind, and the Frenchman with his machine was out of sight.

At the 150 mile pointer, the end of the fifth round, the standing was:

Heath, first; Gabriel, second; Clement, third; Lytile, fourth; Teste, fifth.

Heath's average speed in the first half was 63 miles an hour.

Heath, after the delay, finished his eighth lap and entered on the ninth at terrific speed. Clement, who started later than Heath, was now three minutes in the lead, official time. The excitement in the grand stand began to increase. Clement had only a lead of 1 minute and 4 seconds entering on the last lap, according to the official announcement. Heath had gained a minute on him, but it did not seem that he would wipe out the two minutes remaining.

On the two men came to the finish line, the crowds cheering and yelling, throwing hats into the air, and waving handkerchiefs, coats and canes—on came the thunderous machines, puffing, chugging and snorting like juggernauts—there was silence in the crowd, the machines whizzed and then one flashed across the line—it was Heath, followed one minute and 26 seconds later by Clement—and America's first big race for automobiles had been run.

The official lapsed time for the entire course of three hundred miles is: Heath, 5 hours, 26 minutes, 45 seconds. Clement, 5 hours, 28 minutes, 13 seconds.

THE DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN.

A Good Fighting Chance in Rhode Island.

Judge Parker—David B. Hill to Start on a Speaking Tour.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Governor L. F. C. Garvin, of Rhode Island, spent the entire morning with Judge Parker in a discussion of political affairs in his State. He gave to the presidential candidate an exhaustive report of what is being done in the campaign by both Democrats and Republicans, and what he believed to be needed to enable his party to conduct a more effective canvass. He said that factionalism in the Democratic party had been eliminated, and that there are defections in the Republican party concerning national issues and the foreign policy of the present administration. These, he said, placed the State in the doubtful column, and give the Democrats a good fighting chance of carrying it for Parker and Davis as well as for the State ticket.

Among Judge Parker's callers to day were representatives of the Hebrew section of the Parker Independent Club in New York. The delegation consisted of Julius J. Strahl, Jos. Jacob, Louis Applebone and William Fox, who live in the lower East side of New York.

Judge Parker will go to New York on Monday to confer with his political manager. He will remain there most of the week.

Former Senator David B. Hill will leave Albany to-morrow for Baltimore, and from there will immediately start on a speaking tour through West Virginia and Indiana.

Chairman Taggart, of the Democratic National Committee, received a dispatch from Montana to day stating that the labor organizations of that State had endorsed the Parker and Davis electoral ticket, which, Mr. Taggart says, means the electoral vote of Montana for the Democratic ticket.

Senator Bacon, of Georgia, will spend next week in Illinois making speeches in the principal points in that State. Senator Tillman will also be in Illinois.

THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Committee on Change of Name of Church Discharged—The Divorce Question. Next Place of Meeting.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—The greetings of the Anglican Church in Canada were transmitted to the Episcopal General Convention at a brief session to-day by Right Rev. Charles Hamilton, bishop of Ottawa; Right Rev. James Carmichael, bishop coadjutor of Montreal, and Dean Evans, also of Montreal.

Bishop Hamilton thought that the United States might well adopt some of the methods of dealing with divorce which were in vogue in his country, where the courts which sever marriage had little to do.

The House of Deputies considered a proposal to permit the election of suffragan bishops in large dioceses or in localities where there are large numbers of colored people or persons of foreign extraction. The matter was referred to a committee.

The House of Bishops concurred with the other house in discharging the committee on change of name of the church.

It is announced that the divorce question will be taken up by the convention on Monday.

Richmond, Va., is favored by many delegates as the place for the convention of 1907, and it is understood that a committee of which J. Pierpont Morgan is chairman, will recommend that city. The fund raised by the Woman's Auxiliary for the board of missions now amounts to $150,000, the largest in the church's history.

SPIRITED AWAY.

Children of McCue, Charged With Wife Murder, at Charlottesville, Va.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Oct. 8.—By a deed filed with the corporation clerk to-day, former Mayor J. Samuel McCue, now in jail charged with the murder of his wife, conveys to his brother, Police Justice E. O. McCue, a number of lots here to secure payment of a $2,500 bond. He also has conveyed his library to his brotner-in-law. McCue receives people at certain hours for the transaction of his law business. According to authoritative statements made to-day, McCue's four children, including his eldest son, William, who has been an important witness for the State, left on a west-bound train with an uncle, who paid the fares to some point unknown.

I will meet you at the Crescent cigar store. †

DISCREDIT REPORT OF NAVAL BATTLE

Russian Officials Declare Reported Sea Fight Off Port Arthur Purely Imaginative.

MEAGRE NEWS FROM FRONT.

Kuropatkin Believed to be Strengthening His Position at Mukden—Russians Using Deadly Hand Grenades at Port Arthur.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 8, 1:30 P. M.—The meagreness of the news from the front is increasing the uncertainty regarding the developments. There is good warrant for the belief that General Kuropatkin is strengthening his left flank to prevent the Japanese turning there, his troops occupying a triangle, from Fushan to Mukden and Tie Pass. Over three hundred guns have arrived at the front and the activity of the Russian skirmishers below the Hun river creates the impression that Kuropatkin may contemplate assuming the offensive. The war office, however, gives no encouragement of this, though naturally if such a move is contemplated the war office could not be expected to admit it.

Deadly Hand Grenades.

TOKIO, Oct. 8.—According to a private letter received from a Japanese officer now with the besieging forces before Port Arthur, the Russians are effectively using hand grenades, filled with a high explosive. The execution of these grenades when accurately thrown is deadly, the officer says, and their use probably accounts for the closeness of the fighting.

Russian Revolutionists.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 9.—The Russian police are convinced that the whole series of terrorist crimes, ending with the murder of M. Plehve last Summer, are traceable to a common inspiration. While some links in the chain of evidence are lacking, a long investigation has revealed the fact that the inspiration for the revival of terrorist activity in Russia comes chiefly from a band of revolutionists mostly recruited from exiles to Siberia, living on the shore of Lake Leman, Switzerland.

This "fighting organization," as it is termed, seems to be without a direct object, but rather as supplemental to the work of the revolutionary propaganda which the agitators abroad are spreading among all classes of the population, the political murders being intended to stir up the discontented portion of the populace.

With the capture of the revolutionary agent Gerschunin the authorities are satisfied that they have laid hands upon the active agent in Russia of the foreign revolutionary agitators. The revelations at the trial of Gerschunin, have not been made public, but it is authoritatively stated, prove that three Jewish exiles—Gotz, Roubinovich and Gerschunin—who formed the editorial staff of the "Messenger of the Russian Revolutionaries," were the leaders of the "fighting organization." The evidence, it is declared, shows that Gotz and Roubinovich are graduates of the Nihilist school.

Purely Imaginary.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 8.—It is now accepted here that the reported naval fight off Port Arthur was purely imaginative. The naval experts of the newspapers dwell on the difficulties the Port Arthur squadron must experience in breaking out after the disastrous sortie of August 10th. The general opinion is that the squadron could not venture out unless something had happened to the Japanese warships, of which there is no knowledge here. In any case the Russian ships could not go to the neutral port of Che Foo, but must head for Vladivostok. If the Baltic fleet was approaching, however, the whole situation would be different.

The Siberian Railroad.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 8.—Prince Hilkoff, minister of railroads, has arrived here after spending three months in personally superintending the construction of the circum-Baikal railroad. He says the whole Siberian line is working perfectly. The circum-Baikal is open for freight traffic but passengers are still crossing the lake in the ferry boats. Work is still proceeding day and night on the circum-Baikal road, electric lights being used at night, so as to have the line in complete order before the lake freezes over.

End of Port Arthur Near

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Viscount Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, in an interview published in the "Weekly Review," denies that the Japanese losses around Port Arthur have been heavy and says there is good reason to think that the remainder of the Russian fleet will soon make a sortie. The end of Port Arthur, he declared, will then be near.

"The war hitherto," the minister further says, "has done Japan marvelous good. Her foreign trade is better than ever before and there is now not the slightest anxiety on the subject of raising a big loan. The idea of the 'yellow peril' is ridiculous. Free trade and fair play to all will be our peace cry when we are done shouting Banzai. We believe the only way of bettering ourselves is the opening up of the Far East to European capital and enterprise."

HEAD-ON COLLISION.

Five Persons Seriously Injured on the Southern Pacific Road.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Oct. 8.—In a head-end collision to-night at 10:30 o'clock between the Sunset Limited and the New Orleans Limited, near China, on the LaFayette division of the Southern Pacific, five persons were seriously injured, two of them being of the train crew.

WARM WIRELETS

Thomas E. Watson, the People's Party candidate for president of the United States, spoke before a large audience in Albany, N. Y., last night.

At Lexington, Ky., yesterday, Major Delmar trotted a mile against time in 201¼, lowering the record of 202¼ made at Columbus by Cresceus half a second.

Lady Besant, widow of Sir Walter Besant, the novelist, died yesterday at Manaton Devonshire, Eng., from heart disease.

$1.25 Velvet Carpet $1.00 yard. 25c Matting, 19c. Rugs, 25c and up. Door Mats, Hassocks, Window Shades, Curtains and Poles at special prices at Rehder's. †

New Dress Goods and Silks at Polvogt's. †

MASSACHUSETTS TRAGEDY.

Dr. Belt, at Springfield, Attempted to Kill a Woman, Shot Two Men and Then Committed Suicide.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Oct. 8.—Dr. Edward J. Belt this evening shot Judson Strong, a wealthy real estate man, and Dr. Benjamin Jackson, a medical electrician, and then took carbolic acid. Dr. Belt died in the Mercy Hospital half an hour later. Judson Strong's wound is serious and he may die. Belt was a graduate of Harvard and his home was in South Boston. He had been in Springfield three years.

Dr. Belt occupied an office in Judson Strong's block. He entered Mr. Strong's office, where the latter was engaged in conversation with Dr. Jackson, and immediately opened fire on them with a 32-calibre revolver. Two bullets entered Mr. Strong's left jaw, one lodging in the throat. Another inflicted a slight wound on Dr. Jackson's scalp. Dr. Belt then went to his office and took a dose of carbolic acid. The three men were removed to Mercy Hospital, where Belt died a short time afterwards.

Previous to the shooting of the two men it is alleged that Dr. Belt had made an attempt to kill Miss Amelia Dumas, to whom he was engaged. She met him in his office by appointment, and after a struggle with him escaped.

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Lost.—White Maltese Poodle dog. Answers to name of "Dixie." Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at No. 111 South Fourth St. oct 9 3t

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Visitors to St. Louis—First-class furnished rooms and board may be had at Mrs. H. C. Risher's, No. 2436 Washington avenue. Best location in city, for transient and World's Fair visitors. Cars within one block. au 30 1m tu su

Wanted.—Young man or boy to work in office, salary $25 per month. Address in own handwriting, "O," care MORNING STAR. fri sat sun oct 7 3t

Steamer E. A. Hawes, Capt. W. A. Robeson, leaves Wilmington for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Fayetteville for Wilmington Wednesdays and Saturdays. Freight received at foot of Chesnut street. A share of the patronage of Cape Fear shippers is solicited. J. A. Munn, Agent, 110 North Water street. 'Phone 1041. we fr su oct 5 1m

Posted—All persons are strictly forbidden from hunting, fishing or trespassing in any way on my land in Cape Fear Township, and any person or persons found thereon shall get the full benefit of the law. This October the 7th, 1904. W. T. Ritter. oct 8 10t*

New Series of Stock in Co-operative Building and Loan Association opens Saturday, November 5th, 1904. Subscribe for stock 25 cts. a share—worth $100 at maturity. This Association is prompt, reliable and secure. For full information see the Secretary. Wm. E. Worth, President. Thos. H. Wright, Secy. and Treas. Office No. 124 Princess street. nov 5 oct 7

Miss Gore's afternoon dancing class will begin Monday, October 10th at 3:45, Germania hall. Class meets Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All the latest ball room and fancy dances taught. Apply 420 South Front street. 'Phone 515. oct 7 3t

Saw Mill for sale—Price $1,200, one half cash, balance on good time. Or will rent. Address R. C. Applewhite, Cronly, N. C. oc 4 1m

Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents, move on September 1st to the new building erected for them nearer Second street, No. 13. Pay rent, Building & Loan dues there, and call and see them for your next house. au 21 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

The Dixie Cafe is a first class variety restaurant. Meals at all hours. Quick lunches a specialty. 117 Princess street. au 14 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Sewing Machines, typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

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Quality we carry in our store. Goods of quality and reliable makes only.

Merchant & Co's Tin Plate.
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Mill men, Contractors, Plumbers, and every one know the goods. Call, 'Phone or Write. - - -

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Cigars.
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Don't fail to see Leger Meyer before buying clothes to order. The cheapest and best for the money. Largest line of pants goods in the city to select from.
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Successful Millinery Opening.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.

The Store That's Always Busy,

No. 9 North Front St.

Thanks for Your Liberal Patronage.

Our Millinery Department was a busy section in our Store on our opening days, last Thursday and Friday. We appreciated your liberal patronage and complimentary remarks, and we hope to please those who have not already purchased their millinery. New Creations will be added as fast as they come, and a visit is solicited.

WE BEGIN FALL BUSINESS in earnest and invite your attention to the many attractions that we are offering in this advertisement.

Silk Sale

We are going to make this week a great selling in our Silk department—36-inch Warranted spot proof Taffetta $1.20 per yd.—value $1.50.

36-inch guaranteed taffetta 98c. per yd. Value $1 25 Colored Taffetta silks 69c per yd—value 85c.

Black Pean Desoie 98c per yd—value $1 25.

27-inch Fancy Costume silk 85c per yd—value $1 00.

19-inch Fancy Figured silks 55c per yd—75c values.

19-inch Colored satins 42c per yd—50c value.

Many other Fancy silks will be displayed with reduced prices—call early.

Silk velvets in all the new shades—special 75c per yd.

Ladies and Children Sweaters

just the season of the year for them. We have them in the Norfolk Jacket sytle for Ladies. Children sweaters for 4 years and upwards.

New arrival of knit shawls and fascinators.

Lace Curtains.

White and Arabian color Nottingham curtains, 50 styles to select from, prices 75c. to $10 per pair. Our $2 and $3 curtains are wonders; none but choice patterns are shown, all selected with great care.

Lace door panels, 75c. to $3 each.

Few odd pairs in lots of 1, 2 or 3 pairs will be sold at cost.

Bobbinet and Swiss ruffled curtains from 75c. to $3 a pair.

Damask portieres in all the new designs and colorings, $2 to $12 a pair; special values at $3.75 to $6 a pair.

Curtain loops for both lace curtains and portieres, 10c. to 75c. a pair.



Cambric Gowns.

At 50c. each, worth 65c. and 75c. Our muslin underwear department, always noted for its bargains in high grade garments, offers $1.25 ladies' extra fine quality gown at $1. each; all sizes in stock.

Turkish bath robes in dark and light colorings, $4 to $6 each.

Carpets and Rugs.

We make and lay all our carpets; prices quoted below include making, laying and lining.

Extra heavy quality of Sultan Velvet only $1.25 per yard.

Extra quality 10 wire Brussels carpet only $1.00 per yard.

Good quality tapestry carpet only 90c.

All wool ingrain carpets, 36 in. wide, only 75c. per yard.

All carpets sewed on our $250.00 carpet machine. Insist on having your carpets sewed with a machine.

Fancy straw mattings 10c. per yard.

Extra quality 116 warp matting 35c. per yard; choice patterns only. 9 by 12 extra quality Moquet Art Squares, special $25.00 each.

Full assortment of all wool Art Squares in all sizes and colors.

Upholstery Goods,

A full assortment can be found in our carpet department, with gimp and buttons to match!

Pantasote 50 in. wide, $1.25 per yard, in dark green, red and black.

ON OUR SECOND FLOOR you will find a well selected stock of Blankets, Comforters, Ladies' Wraps and Furs; all this season's selections. Visit our department.

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Red Rust Proof Oats.
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To The Public.

We take pleasure in announcing that from to-day, Mr. A. M. Hall devotes his entire time and attention to our business.

With increased facilities, a thorough knowledge of what is needed, and a determination to furnish it; offering to you at all times the very finest and freshest goods in our line. With quick delivery, and polite attention at all times, we confidently solicit a share of your patronage.

Our prices are guaranteed.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,
'Phone 14 Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager. oct 1 tf

REMOVAL.

We have moved to our new office on our shipping depot, "Waterland," between the A. C. L. and S. A. L. depots, and cordially invite our friends and patrons to call and see our extensive stock and unrivalled facilities for handling business. Respectfully,

HALL & PEARSALL,
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STOCKS.
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Come Look Them Over.

Special extra size grey cotton blanket $125 kind, our store 98c pair.

$1.00 white and grey cotton blankets, our price 59c pair.

$2.00 cotton 12 4 blankets, our store $1.65 pair.

Quilts and Blankets now ready.

500 rugs; handsome designs; low price.

$2 heavy quilts, extra size, fancy patterns, now $1.75.

We have about five dozen quilts, worth $1.25, we are selling at $98c.

Extra heavy quilts, $1.75 kind, our price $1.35.

Our leader, big value, worth $3.50, a handsome quilt, our price $2.98.

All-wool blankets—we can save you half; call and see them.

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Presents Given For All Purchases. We Sell Cheap For Cash.
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All House Wives Should Know What It is.
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